

Monday - 19 June 1950

1. Mr. Barber, Bureau of the Budget, has discussed our letter of 16 June regarding H.R. 3702 with Mr. Winslow in the Bureau of the Budget, who feels that we should be exempted from the legislation. However, Mr. Winslow thought that if we could avoid sending a letter and merely voice our opposition it would save our being tagged with anti-union activities. In a subsequent conversation with Mr. Winslow, he informed me he would talk to George Moore of the House Civil Service Committee in an attempt to secure our exemption without correspondence.

2. Mr. Winslow, Bureau of the Budget, spoke with Mr. Moore, House Civil Service Committee, and they agreed that while a letter from CIA is desirable, it should be very short and very general. Mr. Winslow stated that it could include the statement that it had the approval of the Bureau of the Budget.